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Special points of interest:

- Navigator's Notes
- October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary

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Navigator's Notes

Worthy Sir Knights,

As we prepare for the upcoming Advent season, there are many events on the horizon for our Assembly and the 4th Degree in the State of Alabama. First of all, we are happy to announce that we are again participating in the Huntsville Veteran's Day parade - I have an appointment to discuss the safety protocols and plan with those in charge of the parade the first week of November, and will update you all immediately after. The current plan is to meet on Tuesday or Wednesday November 9th or 10th, to prepare and decorate the trailer at Holy Spirit (weather permitting), time TBD.

Keep a sharp eye out on our social media platforms as we'll share the "Salute to Our Veterans" program produced by Holy Spirit Regional School, which includes our Honor Guard for the American Heritage Girls posting of the colors.

We are in need of Sir Knights in regalia to support the November 13th Exemplification in Guntersville, so please

contact myself or Faithful Comptroller Mike Weist if you are available and willing as soon as you can, or [sign-up here](#). The North Alabama Veterans and Fraternal Organization Coalition (NAVFOC) is also looking for volunteers to place flags on Veteran graves at Huntsville Memory Gardens on November 6th, starting at 11:00 am. Please again contact me or Mike Weist if you can help with that effort.

Finally, I remind you all that the forthcoming Advent season is an opportunity to renew our Faith. Remember that Jesus preached that secret, unrequited giving is an obligation, so please consider donating whatever you can to those less fortunate this Christmas, whether that be your time, goods, or money - while Patriotism is the key principle of the Fourth Degree, Charity is the first principle of the Knights. Thank you and God Bless each and every one of you, Worthy Sir Knights!

Vivat Jesus,
Chris Karigan
Faithful Navigator



October Devotion: the Holy Rosary

Since the 16th century Catholic piety has assigned entire months to special devotions. Pope Leo XIII personally started the practice of devoting October to the Rosary devotion. In a letter of September 1, 1883, mindful of the Rosary's power to strengthen faith and foster a life of virtue, he outlined the triumphs of the Rosary in past times and admonished the faithful to dedicate the month of October to the Blessed Virgin through the daily recitation of her Rosary in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament, in order to obtain through her intercession the grace that God would console and defend His Church in her sufferings.



Prayer:

INVOCATION

Queen of the most holy Rosary, pray for us.

TO THE QUEEN OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Queen of the most holy Rosary, in these times of such brazen impiety, manifest thy power with the signs of thine ancient victories, and from thy throne, whence thou dost dispense pardon and graces, mercifully regard the Church of thy Son, His Vicar on earth, and every order of clergy and laity, who are sore oppressed in the mighty conflict. Do thou, who art the powerful vanquisher of all heresies, hasten the hour of mercy, even though the hour of God's justice is every day provoked by the countless sins of men. For me who am the least of men, kneeling before thee in supplication, do thou obtain the grace I need to live righteously upon earth and to reign among the just in heaven, the while in company with all faithful Christians throughout the world, I salute thee and acclaim thee as Queen of the most holy Rosary: *Queen of the most holy Rosary, pray for us.*

Assembly Volunteer Hours for 2021

Volunteer Hours are captured by calendar year and are reported to Supreme each January in the Annual Survey of Fraternal Activities, Form 1728. Hours are separated by category as follows:

- ◇ Faith
- ◇ Family
- ◇ Community
- ◇ Life

This form also tracks the number of blood donations and the number of visits to the sick or bereaved. If you do any volunteer activity, visit someone who is sick, or comfort someone who is grieving a loss, please let myself or Sir Knight Mike Weist know so we can roll it up in our report. I can be reached at my email (ChrisKarigan@live.com), and SK Weist can be reached at his e-mail (mweist63@gmail.com).

The table on the right shows what I've captured so far for the 2021 Calendar Year.

Categories

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| Faith | 0 |
| Family | 0 |
| Community | 12 |
| Life | 2 |
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| # of visits to the sick | 0 |
| # of visits for bereavement | 0 |
| # of blood donations | 2 |
| # of Habitat for Humanity projects | 0 |

Upcoming Exemplifications Schedule

| Date | Location | Host Assembly |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------|
| November 13, 2021 | Guntersville, AL | 3328 |
| February 19, 2022 | Birmingham, AL | TBD |
| May 7, 2022 | Madison, AL | 2420 |
| May 25, 2022 | Montgomery, AL | TBD |



Assembly 0004 in Action



Faithful Comptroller Mike Weist invests with the Jewels of his new office as Alabama's District Master at the Bienville Province Meeting



Faithful Navigator Chris Karigan accepting Father Mike Mac Mahon's award for Clergy of the Year at the Bienville Province Meeting



Faithful Navigator Chris Karigan and Faithful Pilot Brian Moran supporting the flag line memorial at the Cotton Row Run, honoring over 40 fallen service members from the Tennessee Valley area.



Faithful Friar Father Michael Mac Mahon's Clergy of the Year Award



Sir Knight Tony Coyle supporting the Silver Rose Rosary Prayer Service at Clinica Medica Moscati



Sir Knights Norm Reinagel, Rudy Chavez, and Gary Mayers providing an Honor Guard escort at Good Shepherd for the Silver Rose

Schedule of Upcoming Events

(subject to change—contact Council or Assembly leadership to confirm certain events such as Breakfasts and Social Meetings)

November Schedule of Events

November 1st - Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

November 1st - Council 11672 Monthly Meeting

7:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

November 4th - Assembly 0004 Monthly Meeting

Holy Spirit Church Edenderry Room

7:00pm—GoToMeeting ID 493-228-021

November 8th— Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

November 10th - Council 4080 Monthly Meeting

7:30pm at St. Mary of the Visitation

November 11th - **VETERAN'S DAY**

TBD—Parade at Downtown Huntsville

November 14th - Council 764 Monthly Breakfast

8:00-11:00am at Holy Spirit

November 14th - Council 11672 Monthly Breakfast

8:30-10:30am at Good Shepherd

November 15th - Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

November 15th - Council 11672 Officer's Meeting

7:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

November 16th - Council 764 Monthly Meeting

7:00pm at Holy Spirit

GoToMeeting ID 766-300-981

November 18th - Council 16248 Monthly Meeting

7:00pm at Queen of the Universe

November 22nd - Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245



November Happenings

December Schedule of Events

December 6th - Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

December 6th - Council 11672 Monthly Meeting

7:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

December 8th - Council 4080 Monthly Meeting

7:30pm at St. Mary of the Visitation

December 9th - Assembly 0004 Monthly Meeting

Holy Spirit Church Parish Life Center

7:00pm—GoToMeeting ID 493-228-021

December 13th— Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

December 16th - Council 16248 Monthly Meeting

7:00pm at Queen of the Universe

December 20th— Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

December 20th - Council 11672 Officer's Meeting

7:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

December 21st - Council 764 Monthly Meeting

7:00pm at Holy Spirit

GoToMeeting ID 766-300-981

December 25th - **CHRISTMAS DAY**

Honor Guard Requested for Midnight Mass

December 27th — Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245



December Happenings

January 2022 Schedule of Events

January 1st - **SOLEMNITY OF MARY**

January 3rd - Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

January 3rd - Council 11672 Monthly Meeting

7:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

January 12th - Council 4080 Monthly Meeting

7:30pm at St. Mary of the Visitation

January 13th - Assembly 0004 Monthly Meeting

Holy Spirit Church Parish Life Center

7:00pm—GoToMeeting ID 493-228-021

January 10th— Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

January 20th - Council 16248 Monthly Meeting

7:00pm at Queen of the Universe

January 17th— Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

January 17th - Council 11672 Officer's Meeting

7:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

January 18th - Council 764 Monthly Meeting

7:00pm at Holy Spirit

GoToMeeting ID 766-300-981

January 24th— Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245

January 31st— Monday Rosary hosted by Council 11672

6:30—GoToMeeting ID 510-783-245



January Happenings





Good Shepherd Catholic Church

13550 Chaney Thompson Road

(256) 882-1844

<http://www.goodshephsv.org>

Home to Council 11672

<http://Council11672.weebly.com>

Mass Schedule:

Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM

11:00 AM



Holy Spirit Catholic Church

625 Airport Road, Huntsville

(256) 881-4781

<http://holyspirithsv.com/>

Home to Council 764 and Assembly 0004

http://holyspirithsv.com/?page_id=966

<http://Assembly0004.weebly.com>

Mass Schedule:

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 7:30 AM

9:00 AM

11:45 AM

(Spanish) 2:00 pm

(Korean) 4:00 pm

(Spanish) 6:30 pm



Most Merciful Jesus

10509 Segers Road, Madison

(256) 258-8865

<http://www.mostmercifuljesuschurch.org>

Mass Schedule:

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM

11:30 AM



Our Lady of the Valley

376 Goss Road, Redstone Arsenal

(256) 842-2175

<https://home.army.mil/redstone/index.php/about/Garrison/religious-support-office>

Mass Schedule:

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM



Our Lady, Help of Christians

1201 Kingsbury Ave SE, Huntsville

(256) 801-9157

<http://ourladyhelpofchristians-al.org>

(Traditional Latin Mass)

Schedule:

Saturday 8:00 AM

Sunday (Low Mass) 7:00 AM

(High Mass) 9:00 AM

(Low Mass) 11:00 AM

Our Lady, Queen of the Universe

2421 Shady Lane, Huntsville
 (256) 852-0788

<http://www.olqu.org>

Home to Council 16248

Mass Schedule:

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| Saturday | 5:00 PM |
| Sunday | 8:00 AM |
| | 10:00 AM |



St. John the Baptist

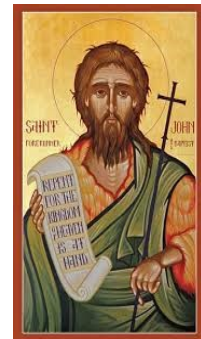
1055 Hughes Road, Madison
 (256) 722-0130

<http://www.stjohnbchurch.org>

Home to Council 10232 and Assembly 2420

Mass Schedule:

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| Saturday | 5:30 PM |
| Sunday | 7:00 AM |
| | 8:30 AM |
| | 11:30 AM |
| | 5:30 PM |



St. Joseph's

2300 Beasley Ave. NW, Huntsville
 (256) 534-8459

<http://saintjosephcc.com>

Mass Schedule:

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|----------|----------|
| Saturday | 5:00 PM |
| Sunday | 8:15 AM |
| | 11:15 AM |
| | 5:00 PM |



St. Mary of the Visitation

222 Jefferson St. N, Huntsville
 (256) 536-6349

<http://www.smvparish.org>

Home to Council 4080

Mass Schedule:

| | |
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| Saturday | 5:30 PM |
| Sunday | 8:00 AM |
| | 11:00 AM |



Requirements for Star Assembly

- 1) Publish and distribute to the Assembly membership a minimum of six Assembly Newsletters during the 2020-2021 fraternal year. A copy of each newsletter must also be sent (either in print or electronically) to the Vice Supreme Master.
- 2) Meet the Assembly's membership goal with a net gain of 7% additions over deletions.
- 3) Complete and submit the Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity (#1728), which is due January 31, 2022.
- 4) Complete and submit to your District Master by April 30, 2022 the "To Be a Patriot Award" application.

- 5) Earn the Civic Award by conducting a minimum of four patriotic programs during the 2021-2022 fraternal year and reporting those programs to the Supreme Master by June 30, 2022 on the "Civic Award" application.
- 6) Complete and submit the "Team of Officers Chosen for the Year" (#180). **Completed**
- 7) Complete and submit the Annual Audit (#1315) by August 1, 2022. **Completed**



Officers for the 2021-2022 Fraternal Year

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| Faithful Navigator | Chris Karigan |
| Faithful Captain | Greg Brierly |
| Faithful Friar | Father Michael Mac Mahon |
| Faithful Pilot | Brian Moran |
| Faithful Comptroller | Mike Weist |
| Faithful Purser | Brian Lagasse |
| Faithful Admiral | Pat Jackson |

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| Faithful Scribe | Greg Olsen |
| Inner Sentinel | Norm Reinagel |
| Outer Sentinel | Larry Davenport |
| One Year Trustee | Mike Rose |
| Two Year Trustee | Tony Coyle |
| Three Year Trustee | Gary Mayers |


Knights of Columbus Charities

Please consider donating to any of our Knights of Columbus charities (see below), or if you would like, consider making a contribution toward our Honor Guard Uniform Reimbursement funds by contacting [SK Mike Weist](#), as these funds will be separate from our Charitable funds.

- [Leave No Neighbor Behind Fund](#)
- [Christian Refugee Fund](#)
- [Disaster Relief](#)
- [Coats for Kids Program](#)
- [Culture of Life Fund](#)
- [Warriors to Lourdes Fund](#)
- [Vocations Fund](#)
- [Annual Appeal and/or Father McGivney Military Chaplain Scholarship](#)

For any issues or insurance needs, please contact our Knights of Columbus Insurance Field Agent below:





Knights of Columbus
INSURANCE
YOUR SHIELD FOR LIFE

Cameron Ellis, MDRT
Fraternal Insurance Counselor
thomas.ellis@kofc.org
(251) 656-9505

Life Insurance • Long-Term Care Insurance
Retirement Annuities • Disability Income Insurance
Protecting Catholic families since 1882.



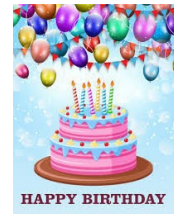
Years of Service for October and November

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| Sir Knight Albert Dillman Jr - 45 years | Sir Knight Tim Karigan - 10 years |
| Sir Knight Rolando Gentolizo - 31 years | Sir Knight Gordon Keene - 16 years |
| Sir Knight Everett Leshner - 1 year | Sir Knight John Macaulay Sr - 20 years |
| Sir Knight Steven Palmer - 11 years | Sir Knight Brian Moore - 11 years |
| Sir Knight Paul Place - 21 years | Sir Knight John Ofenloch - 10 years |
| Sir Knight Joseph Pomager - 36 years | Sir Knight Alan Peterson - 10 years |
| Sir Knight Bill Stejskal - 42 years | Sir Knight Mike Rafferty - 10 years |
| Sir Knight Robert Thompson - 44 years | Sir Knight Mike Rose - 10 years |
| Sir Knight Chuck Anderson - 10 years | Sir Knight Bob Wertz - 10 years |
| Sir Knight Michael Cummings - 10 years | |
| Sir Knight David Custodio Sr - 18 years | |



October and November Birthdays

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| Sir Knight Terance Carlson - October 1 | Sir Knight Michael Cummings - October 22 |
| Sir Knight James Pryor - October 3 | Sir Knight Brian Lagasse - October 23 |
| Sir Knight Harry Renfroe Jr - October 4 | Sir Knight Michael Obringer - October 23 |
| Kirsten Muldoon (Wife of SK Edward) - October 5 | Sir Knight Gary Braman - October 25 |
| Sir Knight Lucian Chappelle - October 7 | Sir Knight Jacob Weist - October 25 |
| Sir Knight Timothy Conley - October 7 | Mary Ellen Gentz (Wife of SK Steven) - October 26 |
| Sir Knight Timothy Sullivan - October 8 | Diana Moore (Wife of SK John) - October 27 |
| Sir Knight Ben Cumbie - October 9 | Marieluise Chappelle (Wife of SK Lucian) - October 28 |
| Martha Andrzejewski (Wife of SK Eugene) - October 9 | Celeste Brooks (Wife of SK Demetrius) - October 29 |
| Gail Coyle (Wife of SK Tony) - October 11 | Desi Obringer (Wife of SK Michael) - October 29 |
| Sir Knight Deacon Louis Citrano - October 12 | Sir Knight Roque Haines - October 31 |
| Sir Knight Rolando Gentolizo - October 13 | Ruth Woida (Wife of SK Carl) - November 1 |
| Sir Knight Fr. Timothy Pfander - October 15 | Alberta Jobczynski (Wife of SK George) - November 2 |
| Sir Knight Joseph Serocki - October 15 | Michele Sullivan (Wife of SK Timothy) - November 11 |
| Rebecca Dollman (Wife of SK Thomas) - October 16 | Abbey Cummings (Wife of SK Michael) - November 13 |
| Sir Knight Ronald Bunnell - October 17 | Laura Trenkle (Wife of SK Peter) - November 14 |
| Sir Knight Mike Rose - October 17 | Sir Knight Hugo Jenrath - November 15 |
| Sir Knight James Goshen - October 18 | Sir Knight Paul Rivette - November 16 |
| Sir Knight Fr. Michael Mac Mahon - October 18 | Sir Knight Fr. Davis Koottala - November 23 |
| Sir Knight Thomas Dollman - October 19 | Sir Knight Paul Shea - November 23 |
| Stephanie Karigan (Wife of SK Chris) - October 21 | Jacqueline Serocki (Wife of SK Joseph) - November 24 |



October and November Wedding Anniversaries

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| October 3 - Sir Knight Pat & Rhonda Jackson (29 years) | October 27 - Sir Knight Ben & Margie Cumbie (49 years) |
| October 5 - Sir Knight Peter & Christine Wozny (25 years) | October 30 - Sir Knight John & Diana Moore (51 years) |
| October 7 - Sir Knight Lane & Kate Mousel (43 years) | November 11 - Sir Knight Chuck & Patricia Anderson (26 years) |
| October 8 - Sir Knight Demetrius & Celeste Brooks (11 years) | November 14 - Sir Knight William & Mary Oliver (51 years) |
| October 16 - Sir Knight Michael & Mary Laskey (7 years) | November 19 - Sir Knight John & Patricia Bellono (38 years) |
| October 16 - Sir Knight Mike & Louise Rafferty (45 years) | November 19 - Sir Knight Chris & Stephanie Karigan (10 years) |
| October 17 - Sir Knight Timothy & Michele Sullivan (45 years) | November 26 - Sir Knight Bernie & Lynn Stein (10 years) |
| October 18 - Sir Knight Joseph & Stephanie Ann Wagner (41 years) | November 27 - Sir Knight Tim & Rosita Karigan (40 years) |
| October 22 - Sir Knight Peter & Laura Trenkle (16 years) | November 28 - Sir Knight Steven & Mary Ellen Gentz (41 years) |
| October 23 - Sir Knight Michael & Rosemary Lenz (50 years) | November 28 - Sir Knight George & Alberta Jobczynski (64 years) |



Assembly 0004 News, Announcements, and Events

Holy Spirit Regional Catholic School & Assembly 0004 of the Knights of Columbus have once again produced the **Salute to Our Veterans** program virtually, which will be uploaded on November 11th, Veteran's Day. Stay tuned to our Social Network platforms (Facebook & Twitter), email, and website as we will share this link as soon as it is posted!

We are once again participating in the Huntsville Veteran's Day Parade! Faithful Navigator Chris Karigan is participating in a safety training session, and will announce more details in the coming weeks before the parade. Plans are to meet at Holy Spirit Church on November 9th or 10th as weather permits to set up and decorate our trailer/float. Please be ready to march in the parade, as this is a great event that helps to illustrate our commitment to honoring our Veterans! More info to come via e-mail!

We are still in need of Sir Knights with regalia to support the November 13th Exemplification in Gunterville. In addition, the Supply Room will again be present at this Exemplification to fit and order regalia for any interested Sir Knight, whether newly inducted into our order, or existing long-time member. If you don't already have regalia, please consider coming out and getting sized, especially if you have not participated in a live and in-person Exemplification! For more information, please contact Faithful Navigator [Chris Karigan](#).

After November's Exemplification, many of our Degree team will not be able to continue in their posts, as several of them have accepted positions and responsibilities with the State Council and other heavily involved positions within the Knights of Columbus. As such, we badly need Sir Knights to step up and volunteer to take their place! These are not incredibly difficult roles to rehearse, and while it works best to memorize your lines, there will be help available to remind you of your speaking parts. Please consider volunteering! If interested, please contact Faithful Navigator [Chris Karigan](#) or Faithful Comptroller [Mike Weist](#).

Volunteers are needed by the NAVFOC to place flags on the gravesites of Veterans at the Huntsville Memory Gardens. This will occur on November 6th, at 11 am. Please contact Faithful Navigator [Chris Karigan](#) if you are available to assist in this effort.

Pollyanna Brannan, founder and director of **Women's Health Services**, Inc., approached the Knights of Columbus, as they have an immediate need for approximately \$66,000 to complete the purchase of their mobile vehicle and complete their first year's operating costs. That number breaks out to \$28,000 for the vehicle and \$38,000 for the operating costs. While they are making good progress, please consider helping them if you are able. For more information and to donate, please visit their website at <https://www.whsmobile.com/>

The **Catholic Family Services** and **Center of Concern** are two separate entities currently under one building (bldg. 1010). The Catholic Family Services organization is scheduled to move to another location in early June 2021. This leaves the Catholic Center of Concern and its staff to remain in the building that requires maintenance, repairs and renovations. Donny is reaching out for volunteer support to assist in this endeavor. It was briefed that the Church of Highlands has stepped forward but will only limit its support to 'technological' support. Maintenance, repairs and renovations is where support is required. Our local Catholic Center of Concern needs your support, especially during this Global Pandemic, in order to continue serving our community. If you are able, please consider donating and learning more at their website at <https://catholiccenterofconcernhsv.org/>

Good of the Assembly Prayer Requests

Rebecca Dollman, wife of SK Thomas -
Cancer Treatments

SK Bob Kikta, battling Cellulitis

Rest in Peace SK Don Corbett
(March 29, 1962 - September 15, 2021)

Rest in Peace Jose Arriaga, Sr.
(January 27, 1958 - October 5, 2021)

Missing in America Project

Courtesy of Sir Knight Doug Lindquist, we have been made aware of the Missing in America Project. This organization's purpose is to locate, identify and inter the unclaimed cremated remains of American veterans through the joint efforts of private, state and federal organizations. To provide honor and respect to those who have served this country by securing a final resting place for these forgotten heroes.



The Missing in America Veterans Recovery Program (MIAP) (EIN: 20-8408832) is a Federal recognized Non-Profit Veterans Organization for the identification, location, verification, and movement of Veterans and their Dependents.

To date, they have identified 5,688 Veteran's Cremated Remains, and have interred 5,088 of them, giving these brave souls the honor they so richly deserve.

Sir Knight Doug witnessed one such interment on October 19th in Montevallo, AL, at the Alabama National Cemetery, which was [reported by the local news](#), where 6 Veterans and one spouse were laid to rest, given full military honors. There may be an opportunity for us to aid in these efforts in the future, as we're establishing communications with the organization to see if there might be an area where the Knights of Columbus could contribute. For more information or if you would like to donate to their cause, please visit the [MIAP website](#).

Assembly 0004 Social Media Accounts

In addition to this newsletter and our website, we have re-established Social Media accounts on Facebook and Twitter in order to extend our outreach to the community. In that regard, if you have any activities you would like to announce for any of your individual Councils or the Assembly, please e-mail father-trecy@gmail.com, and we will be sure to see that this information is passed along to everyone. We will still use e-mail directly for any Assembly business, but these Social Media platforms are very useful in helping spread the word on any of our activities beyond those in our Assembly. As such, please feel free to Like & Share said Social Media pages as well as any posts that you may want to share with family and friends. This can also become a boon for our recruiting activities as well! See below for links to our pages:

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/FatherTrecy/>
 Twitter: <https://twitter.com/FatherTrecy/>
 Website: <http://assembly0004.weebly.com/>

We have established a permanent virtual meeting room for our meetings via the GoToMeeting platform. Please see the information below, as this will be the portal for accessing said meetings.

Assembly 4 of the Knights Of Columbus

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/493228021>

You can also dial in using your phone.

United States: [+1 \(408\) 650-3123](tel:+14086503123)

Access Code: 493-228-021

New to GoToMeeting? Get the app now and be ready when your first meeting starts: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/install/493228021>



In Service to One, In Service to All

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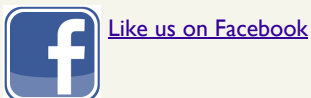
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From the moment of our founding in 1882, charity has been the first principle of the Knights of Columbus. We are Catholic men of faith and men of charitable action.

In 2016, the Knights of Columbus set a record in charitable giving for the 18th consecutive year. Our charitable donations increased from \$175 million in 2015 to a new total of \$177,500,673 in 2016. In addition, we achieved our highest level of charitable service in 2016, volunteering more than 75 million hours of service. The number of service hours contributed by Knights rose in 2016 by more than a million over the previous year's total.

Our charitable activities encompass an almost infinite variety of local, national and international projects. Our own unique charities include the Christian Refugee Relief Fund, Disaster Relief, Ultrasound Initiative, and Coats for Kids. We also partner with international charities including Special Olympics, the Global Wheelchair Mission and Habitat for Humanity.

Through our Building the Domestic Church initiative, Knights and their families have greater opportunities to participate in a variety of activities that deepen their faith, promote the New Evangelization, and strengthen our parishes.

"We are answering Pope Francis' call to go to the peripheries," Supreme Knight Carl Anderson said. "We can reach half way around the globe to help those in need and we can reach to our neighbor next door. And we do that every day. That makes us witnesses to the faith."

If you'd like to be a part of an international organization of nearly 2 million Catholic men whose principal work involves helping others in need, we'd like to meet you and invite you to join us.

The Patriotic Degree

On February 22, 1900, the first exemplification of this degree was held in New York City. The ritual added patriotism to the three original principles of the Order: charity, unity and fraternity. Any Third Degree member in good standing, one year after the anniversary of his First Degree, was eligible for membership in the Fourth Degree. Currently, any member of the Third Degree in good standing, regardless how long he has been a Knight, may join the Fourth Degree. The primary purpose of the Fourth Degree is to foster the spirit of patriotism by promoting responsible citizenship and a love of and loyalty to the Knights' respective countries through active membership in local Fourth Degree groups called assemblies. Fourth Degree members must retain their membership as Third Degree members in the local council to remain in good standing.

